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1. AT THE MOMENT, SAG BOYCOTT AUTHORITIES ARE DISPLAYING
A HELPFUL ATTITUDE TOWARD ACCOMMODATING U.S. FIRMS,
AND HAVE TOLD US THAT THEY ARE HELPONG EFFORTS TO GET
SEVERAL MAJOR U.S. FIRMS OFF THE BLACKLIST. WITH THEIR
CURRENT INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE CROWN PRINCE APPARENTLY
BEING TO HELP AMERICAN FIRMS, WE BELIEVE THEY WOULD BE
RESPONSIVE TO USG REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING

BOYCOTT CASES. WE SHOULD EMPHASIZE, HOWEVER, THAT THEY HAVE NOT ABANDONED BOYCOTT REQUIREMENTS OR PROCEDURES CONCERNING DE-BLACKLISTING/BLACKLISTING. WE BELIEVE THEIR READINESS TO BE HELPFUL, MOREOVER, WILL DEPEND IN LARGE DEGREE ON A JUDICIOUS USG USE OF THIS CHANNEL, AND (MORE IMPORTANTLY) THE CONTINUATION OF THE APPROPRIATE POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE IN U.S.-SAUDI RELATIONSHIPS.

2. WE BELIEVE OUR OWN ABILITY TO BE USEFUL WILL DEPEND TO SOME EXTENT ON A CLEARER UNDERSTANDING ON WHERE WE STAND BEFORE THE LAW IN COMMUNICATING WITH BOYCOTT OFFICE ON DE-BLACKLISTING CASES. REQUEST, IF POSSIBLE, USDOC ADVISORY OPINION ON THIS QUESTION.
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